

NOTICE OF VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF COUNCILLOR

Hever Parish Council - Hever Ward

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

in accordance with Section 87(2) of the Local Government Act 1972, that due to the resignation of Richard Brookes-Smith, a vacancy has arisen in the office of Councillor for the Parish Council.

If by 7 April 2026 (14 days excluding Saturdays, Sundays and Bank Holidays, after the date of this notice) a request for an election to fill the said vacancy is made in writing to the Proper Officer at the address below by TEN electors for the Hever Parish Council - Hever Ward, an election will be held to fill the vacancy. If an election is not requested the vacancy will be filled by co-option as soon as is practicable.

On receipt of a valid request, the Returning Officer will set the date of an election to be held within 60 days of this notice (excluding Saturdays, Sundays and Bank Holidays), in accordance with Rule 5 of the Local Elections (Parishes and Communities) (England and Wales) Rules 2006.

If an election is called, it will take place not later than 11 June 2026.

Proper Officer
Dr Pav Ramewal
Sevenoaks District Council
Council Offices
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Dated: 16 March 2026

Rachael Turner
Clerk to Hever Parish Council